

National Intelligence Reform Act: Senate continued consideration of S. 2845, to reform the intelligence community and the intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto: **Pages S9873–S9916**

Adopted:

Burns Amendment No. 3773 (to Amendment 3766), in the nature of a substitute. **Pages S9904–05**

McCain Amendment No. 3766, to ensure the availability of electromagnetic spectrum for public safety entities. **Pages S9895, S9896, S9901–03, S9905**

McCain/Lieberman Amendment No. 3774, to enhance national preparedness. **Pages S9905–06**

Collins (for Cornyn) Amendment No. 3727, to amend provisions of law originally enacted in the Clinger-Cohen Act to enhance agency planning for information security needs. **Page S9913**

Collins (for Coleman) Amendment No. 3763, to strike the amendments made by section 202, regarding the National Homeland Security Council. **Pages S9913–14**

Wyden Modified Amendment No. 3704, to improve procedures relating to the classification of information. **Page S9914**

Rejected:

Specter/Feinstein Amendment No. 3761, to specify a term of service for the National Intelligence Director. (By 93 yeas to 4 nays (Vote No. 191), Senate tabled the amendment.) **Pages S9883–95, S9896–97**

Specter Amendment No. 3706, to provide the National Intelligence Director with the authority to supervise, direct, and control all elements of the intelligence community performing national intelligence missions. (By 78 yeas to 19 nays (Vote No. 192), Senate tabled the amendment.) **Pages S9874–83, S9897**

Pending:

Collins Amendment No. 3705, to provide for homeland security grant coordination and simplification. **Page S9873**

Lautenberg Amendment No. 3767, to specify that the National Intelligence Director shall serve for one or more terms of up to 5 years each. **Pages S9895–96**

Warner/Stevens Amendment No. 3781, to modify the requirements and authorities of the Joint Intelligence Community Council. **Pages S9914–16**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that certain amendments be the only remaining amendments to the bill other than the pending amendments; further that they be subject to second degrees that are related to the subject matter of the first degree; further that all other provisions governing the consideration of this bill remain in effect. **Page S9875**

A unanimous consent agreement was reached providing that all first degree amendments from the limited list to the bill be filed at the desk no later than 4 p.m., on Thursday, September 30, 2004, and that it be in order for the sponsor of any amendment to modify the filed amendment with the consent of their respective Leader. **Page S9985**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill at 9:30 a.m., on Thursday, September 30, 2004, and that upon conclusion of debate of Warner Amendment No. 3781, Senator Graham be recognized to offer the next amendment; provided further, that upon the conclusion of the first vote, Senator Byrd be recognized for up to 20 minutes. **Pages S9993–94**

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total–192) **Page S9897**

Adjournment: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and adjourned at 7:36 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Thursday, September 30, 2004. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S9994.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

TERRORIST FINANCING

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded a hearing to examine recommendations of the 9/11 Commission, focusing on efforts to identify and combat terrorist financing, after receiving testimony from former Representative Lee H. Hamilton, Vice Chair, and former Senator Slade Gorton, Commissioner, both of the National Commission on Terrorist Attacks Upon the United States; Stuart A. Levey, Under Secretary of Treasury for Terrorism and Financial Intelligence; Michael J. Garcia, Assistant Secretary of Homeland Security for Immigration and Customs Enforcement; John E.

Lewis, Deputy Assistant Director, Counterterrorism Division, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; Mallory Factor, Mallory Factor, Inc., New York, New York; and Lee S. Wolosky, Boies, Schiller and Flexner, LLP, Washington, D.C.

STEM CELL RESEARCH

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space concluded a hearing to examine the controversy over embryonic stem cell research, focusing on ethical safeguards in human research, and the moral status of the human embryo, after receiving testimony from Richard M. Doerflinger, U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops, and David Prentice, Family Research Council, both of Washington, D.C.; Laurie Zoloth, Northwestern University Center for Genetic Medicine, Chicago, Illinois; George Q. Daley, Harvard School of Medicine, Boston, Massachusetts, on behalf of the American Society for Cell Biology; and Marc Hedrick, Macropore Biosurgery, San Diego, California.

LAND BILLS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Public Lands and Forests concluded a hearing to examine S. 2410, to promote wildland firefighter safety; H.R. 1651, to provide for the exchange of land within the Sierra National Forest, California; S. 2378, to provide for the conveyance of certain public land in Clark County, Nevada, for use as a heliport; H.R. 2400, to amend the Organic Act of Guam for the purposes of clarifying the local judicial structure of Guam; H.R. 3874, to convey for public purposes certain Federal lands in Riverside County, California, that have been identified for disposal; H.R. 4170, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to recruit volunteers to assist with, or facilitate, the activities of various agencies and offices of the Department of the Interior; and S. Res. 387, commemorating the 40th Anniversary of the Wilderness Act, after receiving testimony from Guam Delegate Bordallo; Christopher Pyron, Deputy Chief for Business Operations, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; and Scott Cameron, Deputy Assistant

Secretary of the Interior for Performance and Management.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nominations of Ryan C. Crocker, of Washington, to be Ambassador to the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, Marcie B. Ries, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Albania, Catherine Todd Bailey, of Kentucky, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Latvia, who was introduced by Senator McConnell, and Douglas Menarchik, of Texas, to be an Assistant Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development, after each nominee testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the following bills:

S. 519, to establish a Native American-owned financial entity to provide financial services to Indian tribes, Native American organizations, and Native Americans, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 1905, to provide habitable living quarters for teachers, administrators, other school staff, and their households in rural areas of Alaska located in or near Alaska Native Villages, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

S. 2843, to make technical corrections to laws relating to Native Americans, with amendments.

TRIBAL LOBBYING OVERSIGHT

Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee held an oversight hearing on lobbying practices involving Indian tribes, focusing on the propriety of certain dealings and interactions, especially those relative to testimony and evidence in the pending matter *In re Tribal Lobbying Matters*, et. al., receiving testimony from Richard M. Milanovich, Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians, Palm Springs, California; and Bernie Sprague and Christopher Petras, both of the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe of Michigan, Mount Pleasant.

Hearings recessed subject to the call.